IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.

Title: VIRTUAL PATH RESTORATION SCHEME USING FAST DYNAMIC

MESH RESTORATION IN AN OPTICAL NETWORK

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SUBMISSION OF RCE FEE

Dear Sir:

In reference to the above-identified application, on June 18, 2007 Applicant electronically filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), an Amendment Accompanying RCE, and a petition for a three-month extension of time. However, Applicant inadvertently did not electronically pay the RCE fee of \$790 at the time of filing. (Applicant did, however, authorize payment of this fee by electronically authorizing the charge of any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17, and by including a similar authorization in writing on p. 43 of the Amendment and Remarks Accompanying RCE.)

Accordingly, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge for the RCE fee of \$810.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306. If there are any questions regarding this request, please call the undersigned at (512) 439-5097.

Respectfully submitted,

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